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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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March 18, 2013

The Honorable Leonard Lance
Member, United States House Of
Representatives
ATTN: (b) (6)
425 North Avenue East Westfield
Westfield, New Jersey 07090

Dear Mr. Lance:

This is in response to your facsimile of March 8, 2013 from (b) (6) concerning his request for reconsideration of his disqualification to reenlist in the United States Navy.

For your and your constituent's information, the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) of 1996 prohibits the release of an individual's identifiable health information without the authorization of that individual via a HIPAA form that specifies the exact information to be released and the time frame allowable.

If (b) (6) will complete a HIPAA form we will provide more specific information concerning his medical reason for his enlistment ineligibility. We will provide a further response to your letter when this authorization is received.

Sincerely,

(b) (6)

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By direction of the Commander